

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Examiners for Certification of Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operators and Laboratory Analysts was held on Thursday, July 26, 2007, at the Office of the Division Director, Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

Members of the Board in attendance were:

Rachel Cochran  
Margaret Doss, Vice-Chairman  
Harry J. Jue  
Stanley Tate  
Mike Whatley

Other attendees were:

Steve Lindsey, Executive Director  
Colleen Roehm, Board Secretary/Applications Specialist  
Amelia Baker, Board Attorney  
Jocelyn Hunt, Macon Water Authority  
Charlie Andrew Jones, Dekalb County  
Donald North, City of Carrollton  
Ontario Smalls, DeKalb County

Board member Robert L. Tant, Chairman, was not in attendance.

Vice-chairman Moss called the meeting to order at 9:35 am and established that a quorum was present.

Visitors who attended the Board Meeting were acknowledged.

Mr. Whatley moved, Ms. Cochran seconded, and the Board voted to approve the minutes of the May 22, 2007, Board Meeting.

Mr. Whatley moved, Ms. Cochran seconded, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session**, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-1-2 (k) and 43-1-19 (h) to deliberate on applications and investigative matters and to receive an investigative report. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present who included Board members Cochran, Doss, Jue, Tate, and Whatley. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to act on these matters and to continue with the public session.

**Correspondence and Items of Information:**

1. Mr. Tate moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board approved the licenses issued by Committee since the May 22, 2007, Board Meeting:

**Water Class 1**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
W1-014463	Patterson Jr., John Albert	05/25/07	Endorsement – IL
W1-014464	Williams, Kenneth Moses	06/14/07	Examination
W1-014465	Huntington, Daryl Lee	06/15/07	Endorsement – FL
W1-014466	Churchwell, Andrew Keith	06/29/07	Examination
W1-014467	Johnson, Steven Troy	07/02/07	Examination

**Water Class 1 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
W1-012312	deMarks, Fanniel Loucynthia	07/16/07

**Water Class 2 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
W2-014637	Duncan, Carolyn E.	05/25/07	Examination
W2-014638	Fields Jr., Robert Holly	05/25/07	Examination
W2-014639	Griffin, Cynthia Taylor	05/25/07	Examination
W2-014640	King, Darryl Lamonn	05/25/07	Examination
W2-014641	Harper Jr., Henry Byron	05/25/07	Endorsement – NC
W2-014642	Haskins, Ronald	05/25/07	Endorsement – NY
W2-014643	Davis, James William	06/08/07	Examination
W2-014644	Sookram, Mohamed H.	06/15/07	Endorsement – TX
W2-014645	Allen, James Ernes	06/15/07	Endorsement – FL
W2-014646	Askew, Adam Brian	06/18/07	Examination
W2-014647	Freeman Jr., Robert Ray	07/02/07	Examination
W2-014648	Herrera, Gehovanny Rafael	07/02/07	Examination
W2-014649	Fisher, Roland Keith	07/24/07	Examination

**Water Class 3 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
W3-015428	Blevins, Ricky Gene	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015429	Finney, Kevin Dale	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015430	Kent, David Lewis	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015431	Middlebrooks, Rodney Wayne	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015432	Powell, Jesse Tom	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015433	Riley, Rodney Bryant	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015434	Sexton, Robert Boyce	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015435	Washington, William Pegram	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015436	Wilbanks, Chad Jonathan	05/25/07	Examination
W3-015437	Grenga, Steven Bartley	06/08/07	Endorsement – ME
W3-015438	Brown, Jimmy Ray	06/08/07	Examination
W3-015439	Howe, Kevin Elwin	06/08/07	Examination
W3-015440	Torres, Roel I.	06/14/07	Examination
W3-015441	Dubbs, Brandon Asher	06/18/07	Examination
W3-015442	Davis, David James	06/19/07	Examination
W3-015443	Fowler, Matthew Grant	06/29/07	Examination
W3-015444	Dunagan, Jeff Scott	06/29/07	Examination
W3-015445	Smith, Jason Robert	07/02/07	Examination
W3-015446	Clark, Terry Keith	07/02/07	Examination
W3-015447	Riggans, Michael Bernard	07/02/07	Examination
W3-015448	Humphries, Lawrence Lee	07/02/07	Examination
W3-015449	Bertetto, Timothy James	07/02/07	Examination
W3-015450	Dupuy, Steve Harold	07/03/07	Examination

**Water Class 3 Operator (continued)**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
W3-015451	Dubose, Ronald Wayne	07/11/07	Examination
W3-015452	Walton, Aisha Catrice	07/13/07	Examination
W3-015453	Vinson II, Jim Everett	07/20/07	Examination
W3-015454	Hatcher, Michael Ernest	07/20/07	Examination
W3-015455	Higgs, Keith Alan	07/24/07	Examination
W3-015456	Waddell, Caleb Seth	07/24/07	Examination

**Water Class 3 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
W3-002481	Childs Jr., Henry	06/20/07
W3-013890	Wilson, Jerry Lewis	07/17/07
W3-013959	McMillan, Alexander Van	07/12/07
W3-014550	Bartley, Travis D.	07/02/07

**Water Class 4 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
W4-002037	Coker, James Kevin	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002038	Davis Sr., Lester Daniel	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002039	Graham, John Roberts	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002040	Griffin, Stacy Dewayne	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002041	Maxon, Michael Allen	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002042	McKeever, Matthew Karl	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002043	Sanders, Jeffery Mark	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002044	Smith Jr., Albert	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002045	Steedley Jr., Leonard Baxley	05/25/07	Examination
W4-002046	Sheppard, Robert Brian	06/14/07	Examination
W4-002047	Powell, John Steven	06/19/07	Examination
W4-002048	Joyner, Joy Louise	06/14/07	Examination
W4-002049	Summers, Earnest Albert	06/14/07	Examination
W4-002050	Joyner, Marcia B. Thomas	07/02/07	Examination
W4-002051	White, James Gordon	07/02/07	Examination
W4-002052	Curry, James Edward	07/09/07	Examination
W4-002053	Layer, James Bradford	07/09/07	Examination
W4-002054	Hudson, Lyle Adrian	07/11/07	Examination
W4-002055	Richardson, Robert Brian	07/12/07	Examination
W4-002056	Copeland, Justin Allen	07/13/07	Examination
W4-002057	Moore, Sandra B.	07/17/07	Examination
W4-002058	Hobbs, Jenna Rogers	07/17/07	Examination
W4-002059	Welles, Holly Mikaela	07/24/07	Examination
W4-002060	Fountain, Donald Jean	07/25/07	Examination
W4-002061	Dixon, James M.	07/25/07	Examination

**Wastewater Class 4 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
W4-000047	Dixon, Jeffrey Allan	07/20/07
W4-001251	Cooper, Gary Wayne	07/11/07
W4-001528	Houser, Scott L.	07/09/07

**Water Distribution System Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WD015037	Ausburn, Willard Gregory	05/25/07	Examination
WD015038	Bechtold, Paul John	05/25/07	Examination
WD015039	Bennett, Tommie Lee	05/25/07	Examination
WD015040	Carile III, Frank Vincent	05/25/07	Examination
WD015041	Drake II, James Fredrick	05/25/07	Examination
WD015042	Ecton, Charles Vernon	05/25/07	Examination
WD015043	Fleming, Zacharia	05/25/07	Endorsement – ND
WD015044	Haney, Jason Douglas	05/25/07	Examination
WD015045	Jenkins, Cedrick Trenard	05/25/07	Examination
WD015046	Kelly, Joseph	05/25/07	Examination
WD015047	Kiwi, Alfonso Ben	05/25/07	Examination
WD015048	Lloyd, Michael Lane	05/25/07	Examination
WD015049	McKenney, Christopher Stephen	05/25/07	Examination
WD015050	Nary Sr., Timothy Jay	05/25/07	Examination
WD015051	Pruitt, Jeffrey Todd	05/25/07	Examination
WD015052	Ray, John Wade	05/25/07	Examination
WD015053	Sartor, Kenneth J.	05/25/07	Examination
WD015054	Shelton, Tammy C.	05/25/07	Examination
WD015055	Smith, Carl Clark	05/25/07	Examination
WD015056	Sumerlin, Entre Romel	05/25/07	Examination
WD015057	Wages, Jimmy Scott	05/25/07	Examination
WD015058	Walls Jr., Henry Vernon	05/25/07	Examination
WD015059	Wetherington Chad Allen	05/25/07	Examination
WD015060	Stamey, Matthew Bryan	06/08/07	Examination
WD015061	Evans, Joshua Casey	06/14/07	Examination
WD015062	Thompson, Ronnie Dewayne	06/14/07	Examination
WD015063	Yazzie, Johnny Dale	06/14/07	Examination
WD015064	Mapp, William Donavan	06/15/07	Examination
WD015065	Clack, Denis Fred	06/19/07	Examination
WD015066	Grenga, Steven Bartley	06/21/07	Endorsement – ME
WD015067	Flanigan Sr., Charles Henry	06/28/07	Examination
WD015068	English, John H.	07/02/07	Examination
WD015069	Smith, Andrea Marie	07/02/07	Examination
WD015070	McClellan, Thomas Clifton	07/02/07	Examination
WD015071	Morris, Wesley Alan	07/09/07	Examination
WD015072	Wilson, William Martin	07/11/07	Examination
WD015073	Rainey, Matthew Russell	07/11/07	Examination

**Water Distribution System Operator (continued)**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WD015074	Franks, Timothy Bryan Lee	07/11/07	Examination
WD015075	Kee III, Thomas Irvin	07/11/07	Examination
WD015076	Johnson, Steven Manuel	07/11/07	Examination
WD015077	Khuu, An Thanh	07/12/07	Examination
WD015078	Gamble, Philip Scott	07/16/07	Examination
WD015079	Derline, Timothy Gene	07/16/07	Examination
WD015080	Carter, Joshua Lee	07/20/07	Examination
WD015081	Biles, Brock David	07/20/07	Examination
WD015082	Henslee, Tricia Taylor	07/24/07	Examination
WD015083	Lester, Wanda Renise	07/24/07	Examination

**Water Distribution System Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WD000943	Ferrell, Danny M.	05/25/07
WD010544	Ellis, Ronald Lynn	05/25/07
WD010894	Mason, Willie Lewis	06/18/07
WD012918	Pirkle, Billy Stanley	07/17/07
WD013714	Collins, Timothy Jay	05/25/07
WD014417	Harrison, Jeffery Brandon	05/25/07
WD014437	Shook, Cory Glenn	07/16/07
WD014481	Davis, Norman Eugene	07/12/07

**Water Laboratory Analyst**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WL014284	Reichert, Robert Lee	05/25/07	Examination
WL014285	Collins, Keith Randall	06/14/07	Examination
WL014286	Seabolt, Ronald Odell	07/02/07	Examination
WL014287	Rathburn, Lesley Ann	07/11/07	Examination
WL014288	Reed, Morton Wallace	07/18/07	Examination
WL014289	Fortenberry, Kristy Nicole	07/24/07	Examination
WL014290	Head, Andrew Phillip	07/24/07	Examination

**Water Laboratory Analyst Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WL007994	Mason, Willie Lewis	07/02/07

**Wastewater Class 1 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WW1-014729	Palmer, Antonio Garth	05/25/07	Endorsement – FL
WW1-014730	Lott Sr., Kenneth Neal	05/25/07	Examination
WW1-014731	Matthews, John Barry	05/25/07	Examination
WW1-014732	Pippin Jr., John W.	05/25/07	Examination
WW1-014733	Ross, David Lewis	05/25/07	Examination
WW1-014734	Trimble, Antrena Faye	05/25/07	Examination
WW1-014735	Urrutia, Christopher Shaun	06/14/07	Examination
WW1-014736	Rice, Thomas Edwin	06/14/07	Examination
WW1-014737	Allen, James Ernest	06/15/07	Endorsement – FL
WW1-014738	Bourque, Brian Paul	06/28/07	Endorsement – MA
WW1-014739	Kitchens, Landau Lacelle	07/02/07	Examination
WW1-014740	Rice, Joseph Brandon	07/02/07	Examination
WW1-014741	Wilson, Michael Allen	07/09/07	Endorsement – SC
WW1-014742	Bradley, Larry Dwyane	07/11/07	Endorsement – SC
WW1-014743	Forsyth, James Sidney	07/16/07	Endorsement – SC
WW1-014744	Sexton, Robert Boyce	07/24/07	Endorsement – SC
WW1-014745	Colorito, John Rocco	07/24/07	Endorsement – SC

**Wastewater Class 2 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WW2-014714	Adams, Ricky Wayne	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014715	Anderson, Kenny Lamar	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014716	Meares Jr., Edwin Stanley	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014717	Miskel, Michael Brian	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014718	Ricks, Spencer Wyatt	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014719	Sinkfield, James Edward	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014720	Zoeckler III, David Donald	05/25/07	Examination
WW2-014721	Helms, Billy Roger	05/25/07	Endorsement – AL
WW2-014722	Mosley, Gary O'Neil	06/14/07	Examination
WW2-014723	Sookram, Mohamed H.	06/15/07	Endorsement – TX
WW2-014724	Owens, Richard Keith	06/18/07	Examination
WW2-014725	Burgess, Jonathon Edward	06/18/07	Examination
WW2-014726	Malcome Jr., Samuel Jones	06/19/07	Examination
WW2-014727	Stephens, James Curtis	06/19/07	Examination
WW2-014728	Fischer Jr., Frederick W.	06/20/07	Endorsement – AZ
WW2-014729	Gazaway, Gerald Brian	06/29/07	Examination
WW2-014730	Stewart, James Penfield	07/02/07	Examination
WW2-014731	Alexander, Michael Lee	07/02/07	Examination
WW2-014732	Austin, Norman Keith	07/09/07	Examination
WW2-014733	Garmon, Justin Isaac	07/11/07	Examination
WW2-014734	Rogers, Patrick Reese	07/16/07	Examination
WW2-014735	Estes, James Winfred	07/26/07	Examination
WW2-014736	Blair, Jeffery Alan	07/24/07	Examination

**Wastewater Class 2 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WW2-014533	Tamasi, William Pelino	05/25/07

**Wastewater Class 3 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WW3-016049	Bailey, Robert Ryan	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016050	Collins, Demos Dwane	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016051	Cook, William Matthew	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016052	Durden, Taron Delmas	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016053	Ellison, Antion Reynard	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016054	Garcia, Kenrick Bruce	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016055	Hibberts, Charles Michael	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016056	Hopkins, Matthew Brian	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016057	McCormich, Joshua Eric	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016058	Money, Robert Dennis	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016059	Moss, James William	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016060	Wilcox, Matthew Wayne	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016061	Wingo Jr., James Jasper	05/25/07	Examination
WW3-016062	Hubbard, Tavon Donnell	06/08/07	Examination
WW3-016063	Harris, Donald William	06/14/07	Examination
WW3-016064	Singleton, Jamarzes Onikky	06/14/07	Examination
WW3-016065	Hutchison, Madeline Louise	06/29/07	Examination
WW3-016066	McMurrian, Chad Roberson	06/29/07	Examination
WW3-016067	Seeley, Bryon Steve	06/29/07	Examination
WW3-016068	Perkins, Greg Alan	06/29/07	Examination
WW3-016069	Whitfield, Michael Ray	07/02/07	Examination
WW3-016070	Humphries, Lawrence Lee	07/02/07	Examination
WW3-016071	Porter III, Joseph	07/03/07	Examination
WW3-016072	Manard, Thomas Hannah	07/11/07	Examination
WW3-016073	Burdett, Christopher Scott	07/12/07	Examination
WW3-016074	Middlebrooks, Rodney Wayne	07/12/07	Examination
WW3-016075	Norton, Timothy Daniel	07/16/07	Examination
WW3-016076	Hargett, Jack Daniel	07/16/07	Examination
WW3-016077	Barker, Robert Kenneth	07/19/07	Examination
WW3-016078	Hatcher, Michael Ernest	07/20/07	Examination
WW3-016079	Speed, Matthew Cole	07/24/07	Examination
WW3-016080	Parker, Keith E.	07/24/07	Examination
WW3-016081	Cross, Michael Terry	07/25/07	Examination

**Wastewater Class 3 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WW3-012964	McMillan, Alexander Van	07/12/07
WW3-014575	Luopa, Randy Lee	05/25/07

**Wastewater Class 4 Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WW4-000139	Byrd Jr., Walter Alton	05/25/07	Examination
WW4-000140	Moore, Jeffrey Alvin	05/25/07	Endorsement – NC

**Wastewater Class 4 Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WW4-000109	Brown, Jimmy D.	06/15/07

**Wastewater Collection System Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WWC032187	Fleming, Zacharia	05/25/07	Endorsement – ND
WWC032188	Askew, Cornelius Antwanna	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032189	Ausburn, Willard Gregory	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032190	Branan, Allan Dean	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032191	Daigle, Lawrence James	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032192	Davidson, Dennis King	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032193	Howard Jr., Jesse	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032194	Reid, Ulysses	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032195	Simmons, Raymond Franklin	05/25/07	Examination
WWC032196	Foley Jr., Lawrence Joseph	06/14/07	Examination
WWC032197	Tyus, Brian Lewis	06/14/07	Examination
WWC032198	Kelley, Brian Rodd	06/19/07	Examination
WWC032199	Parks, Michael Bernard	06/28/07	Examination
WWC032200	Redden, David Lee	07/13/07	Examination
WWC032201	Magby, Arfedrick Lanoies	07/17/07	Examination
WWC032202	Evans II, Larry	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032203	Franks, Jonathan Shay	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032204	Kelly, Brian Lance	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032205	Sims, Cornell LeShawn	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032206	Washington, Patrick Randall	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032207	Whitt, Rodney Lee	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032208	Breffe, Kathleen Kossover	07/18/07	Examination
WWC032209	Richards, Timothy Wayne	07/19/07	Examination
WWC032210	Barnes, Sabrina Reane	07/20/07	Examination
WWC032211	Putnam, Daniel Wayne	07/24/07	Examination

**Wastewater Collection System Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WWC013510	Haney, Ronald Lee	06/15/07
WWC031420	Collins, Timothy Jay	05/25/07
WWC031806	Henson, John Forrest	07/24/07



**Wastewater Industrial Operator**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WWID031980	Bullard, Robert	05/25/07	Examination
WWID031981	Gray, Daniel Curtis	05/25/07	Examination
WWID031982	Nash, Brian Keith	06/14/07	Examination
WWID031983	Rivers, Bradford Kyle	07/02/07	Examination
WWID031984	Caralla, Louis Joseph	07/10/07	Examination
WWID031985	Winn, Dale Timothy	07/11/07	Examination

**Wastewater Industrial Operator Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WWID031803	Baldwin, Douglas Gregory	07/12/07

**Wastewater Laboratory Analyst**

License Number	Name	Date Issued	Method
WWL014421	Spann, Delia Clarice	05/25/07	Examination
WWL014422	Ruddell, Kelly Ford	06/18/07	Examination
WWL014423	Hollingsworth, Jonathan Douglas	07/12/07	Examination

**Wastewater Laboratory Analyst Reinstatement**

License Number	Name	Date Reinstated
WWL014252	Tamasi, William Pelino	05/25/07

**Correspondence and Items of Information (continued):**

2. Discussed Board Rule 750-7-.02(2) - Evidence of the completion, since the last renewal, of the total continuing education points which would have been required if the certificate had been maintained in a current status.
3. Letter dated May 31, 2007, from Jay Beverly requesting the Board for a waiver of 24 Advance Hours of Wastewater Training based on BS Chemistry Degree from State University of West Georgia.

Mr. Jue moved, Mr. Tate seconded and the Board voted to approve Mr. Beverly's request.

4. Email from Jocelyn Hunt, Macon Water Authority, inquiring specific length of time required to qualify for 3 months of cross training. Board tabled discussion at 05/22/07 Board Meeting. I emailed Ms. Hunt requesting additional information (see attached).
  - a. Board determined for a Wastewater Class 1 Operator with 4 years experience that 4 hours of cross training a week for 3 months with sufficient documentation would qualify for the water class 3 operator requirement of 3 months on-the-job experience.

- b. A Committee comprised of Mr. Whatley, Chairman, Mr. Lindsey, Mr. Tate and Ms. Baker was formed to create a Board Policy on cross training and was requested to report at the November 13, 2007, Board Meeting.
  - c. Vice-Chairman Doss will solicit ABC to inquire how other states calculate cross training experience and report her findings to the Committee.
5. Board to determine if it will hold its November Board Meeting with GAWP Fall Conference and Expo held November 13-14, 2007, at Athens Classic Center, Athens GA.

Board agreed to hold its meeting with GAWP on November 13, 2007 in Athens at 10:00 am.

### 2008 Examination Dates

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	AMP'S DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS FOR EXAMINATION
January 8, 2008	8:00 am	Macon	November 23, 2007
March 11, 2008	8:00 am	Albany	January 25, 2008
May 13, 2008	8:00 am	Metro Atlanta	March 28, 2008
July 8, 2008	8:00 am	Macon	May 23, 2008
September 9, 2008	8:00 am	Savannah	July 25, 2008
November 18, 2008	8:00 am	Metro Atlanta	October 3, 2008

### 2008 Board Meeting Dates

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
January 17, 2008	9:30 am	Macon
March 20, 2008	9:30 am	Macon
May TBD	TBD	GRWA Conference
July 17, 2008	9:30 am	Macon
September 18, 2008	9:30 am	Macon
November TBD	TBD	GAWP Conference

### Interviews:

**Charlie Andrew Jones** – 10:00 am – 10:15 am -- Wastewater Collection System Operator Applicant Appeal; Attending w/Dominique Carreker Instructor & Ontario Smalls Accounts Payable

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to approve for certification

**Donald North** – 10:15 am – 10:30 -- Water Class 1 Operator requesting to discuss Water Class 3 Operator Exams with the Board

A Committee comprised of Vice-Chairman Doss, Mr. Jue, and Mr. North was formed to review Water Class 3 Examination Questions. The Committee will set up a 1 day Exam review and a 1 day Exam Workshop.

### Course Approval Applications:

Mr. Whatley moved, Ms. Cochran seconded, and the Board approved those Program Approval Applications that were eligible. See Attachment A.

**Investigative Report:**

1. Letter dated May 21, 2007, from Clarence D. Floyd requesting status of “Probation” to be removed from WW3-014973 certificate for meeting Consent Agreement terms

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to lift the status of “Probation” after receiving proof of meeting 2007-2009 CE requirements and a clean GICI report.

2. **Enforcement Case WW070001**

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to close the case with no action.

3. **Enforcement Case WW070003**

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to forward the case to the General Attorney’s Office for revocation.

4. **Enforcement Case WW070005**

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate moved, and the Board voted to return to the Enforcement Section to obtain EPD’s Audit information to support allegations against respondent.

5. **Enforcement Case WW070006**

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to close the case with no action.

6. **Dana F. Northern – WW3-016040**

Mr. Tate moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to suspend her WW3-016040 certificate for failure to repay a student loan, and further more that this suspension will cease upon receipt by the Joint Secretary of a “Notice of Release” from the Georgia Higher Education Assistance Corporation.

7. **Enforcement Case WW070010**

Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to close the case with no action.

8. **Enforcement Case WW080002**

Mr. Jue moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to renew respondent’s certificate with status of “probation” and further more that this status of “probation” will cease upon receipt that court terms are met.

9. **Enforcement Case WW080003**

Mr. Jue moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to suspend certificates for 3 months.

10. **Enforcement Case WW080004**

Mr. Jue moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to issue respondent certification with status of “probation” and further more that this status of “probation” will cease upon receipt that court terms are met.

**Applications for Certification:**

The following was presented to the Board, and Mr. Jue moved, Mr. Whatley seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following actions:

The Board **approved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Water Class 1 Operator:

Eugene P. DeMayo

The Board **approved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Water Class 2 Operator:

Deborah Kim Hicks Wheeling

The Board **disapproved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Water Class 2 Operator:

Ronnie McKinnon

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Water Class 3 Operators:

Philip Marshall Beckman  
Anthony Neal Griffis Jr.  
Stephen Lane James  
Jonnie Darlene Lyon – Pending  
Tim C. Spires  
Adams Stacy Wright

The Board **approved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Water Class 4 Operator:

Darrell Andrew Cook

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Water Distribution System Operators:

Mark Trevor Blanchard  
Bryan Kevin Popham  
Claude Jerry Sargent  
William Lane Tison Jr.  
Daniel Adrian Tucker

The Board **disapproved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Water Distribution System Operators:

Craig Anthony Harrison  
Pao Vang  
Torrence Williams

The Board **disapproved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Water Laboratory Analyst:

Shirley Jean Brady

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Class 1 Operators:

Johnny Reeves Adamson  
Danny Francis Webb

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Class 2 Operators:

Marshall Scott Wall Jr.  
Bruce Allen Watson

The Board **disapproved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Wastewater Class 2 Operator:

William Brett Patrick

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Class 3 Operators:

John Travis Cochran  
Stephen Mitchell Hilliard  
Carvin Jackson Moreland  
George Andrew Parks  
Lonnie Earl Shaw  
James Clifford Sims Jr.  
Walter Jud Street

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Collection System Operators:

Eleanor Denise Burks  
James Brandon Crook – Pending

The Board **disapproved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Collection System Operators:

Edgardo Amezquita  
Wylie Angel Jordan – Pending

The Board **approved** the following applicants for **Certification** as Wastewater Industrial Operators:

Michael Christopher Cook Sr.  
Gordon Frank Tatro  
William Travis Wimberly Jr.

The Board **approved** the following applicant for **Certification** as a Wastewater Laboratory Analyst:

Raymond Scott Adams

**Applications for the 2007-2009 Renewal:**

The following was presented to the Board, and Mr. Whatley moved, Mr. Tate seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following actions:

The Board **approved** the following licensees for the 2007-2009 Renewal:

Name	License No.
Akies, Gerald B.	WW3-006560
Boyles Jr. Bernard Richard	W4-001604
Broughton, Chris L.	W3-015292
McDonald, David E.	WD014298
Webb, Danny Francis	W2-011430; WW1-014584
Wise, Michael S.	W2-014339

The Board **disapproved** the following licensees for the 2007-2009 Renewal:

Name	License No.
Brannen, Alton Lonnie	W1-014343
Kent, Charles A.	W3-005457

**Alonzo Shells – W3-015258**

Mr. Sheels submitted a Petition for Variance or Waiver request to the Board to waive the requirement for the 6 Continuing Education (CE) Points for the 2007-2009 Renewal of his W3-015258 certificate due to hardship. The Board determined that Federal Regulations do not allow waivers of CE Points or fees for renewal for certificates for any circumstances. However, the Board will consider allowing him extra time to acquire the 6 CE Points.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:05 pm.

Minutes Recorded by: Colleen Roehm  
Board Secretary

Minutes Reviewed by: Steve Lindsey  
Executive Director

Presiding Officer: Robert L. Tant Sr.

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**AFFIDAVIT SUPPORTING CLOSING OF PUBLIC MEETING**

The Georgia Open Meetings Act, O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq., requires that all meetings of an entity covered by the statute must be open to the public unless there is some specific statutory exception which permits the closing of the meeting. If such a meeting is to be closed, the law requires that the presiding person execute a sworn affidavit stating that the subject matter of the meeting or the closed portion thereof was devoted to matters within the statutory exceptions and identifying those specific exceptions relied upon. **O.C.G.A. § 50-14-4(b). A copy of this affidavit must be filed with the minutes of the meeting in question.**

Comes now Margaret Doss., the presiding officer identified below and, before an official duly authorized to administer oaths, makes this affidavit in satisfaction of the statutory requirements outlined above.

1. I am the presiding officer of the Georgia State Board of Examiners for Certification of Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operators and Laboratory Analysts.
2. I am over the age of 18 and in all over aspects competent to make this sworn statement. I acknowledge that I am giving this statement under oath and penalty of perjury and that I have read the contents of this affidavit prior to signing it.
3. On July 26, 2007, this entity, which is subject to the Open Meetings Act, met. A majority of the quorum of the members present voted to close the meeting or a portion thereof for the following indicated reason(s). I hereby certify that during the closed portion of the meeting, only those subjects indicated below were discussed. I also certify that I have reviewed the exceptions provided under the Open Meetings Act that may permit the closing of a meeting and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reasons I have described in detail below meet the requirements for closing this public meeting.
4. The legal authority for the closure of this meeting was O.C.G.A. 43-1-2 (k); 43-1-19(h)
5. The subjects discussed and the underlying facts supporting the closing of this meeting are: Receipt of and deliberations regarding applications and application information and deliberations regarding investigations and enforcement matters; receipt of the results of investigations.

Further the Affiant Sayeth not.

Margaret Doss  
PRESIDING OFFICER

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME

This 26<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2007

Colleen Roehm

Notary Public

# **Water/Wastewater July 26, 2007 Board Meeting Program Approvals**

<b>COURSE NUMBER</b>	<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>PROVIDER</b>	<b>Brd Mtgs</b>
CE-6-707-EMT-013110-2363	GA Chamber of Commerce 2nd Annual GA Environmental Conference	Event Management Technologies	7/26/2007
CE-1-707-KSB-013108-2364	The Design & Specification of Submersible & Non-Clog WW Pumps	KSB Inc.	7/26/2007
CE-4-707-AWWA-013110-2365	Mapping Your Course for a Successful Workforce Plan	AWWA	7/26/2007
CE-6-707-PPI-013110-2366	RCRA Compliance & DOT Security Trning Environmental Compliance Seminar	Professional Presentations Inc. Resubmitted & Apprvd	7/26/2007
CE-12-707-SCETC-013110-2367	Biological Wastewater Treatment Short School	SC Environmental Training Center	7/26/2007
CE-2-707-CCWU-013110-2368	National Safety Council Flagger Training	Columbia County Water Utility	7/26/2007
CE-2-707-OMI-013108-2369	Spring 2007 Environmental Network Meeting	CH2H Hill OMI - Augusta Kim Compton	7/26/2007